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THE DIRECTORS VISIT EEL RIVER

Senator Charles Felton, Dr. W. S. Thorne, W. W. Van Arsdale, General Graham, and Howard Smith arrived in this city last Tuesday week and in company with Attorney W. P. Thomas of this city visited the properties of the Snow Mountain Power and Irrigation company at Eel river. The gentlemen named are among the principal stock holders in the company and the trip was made so they could form an idea of the work already accomplished and the amount remaining to be done.

The trip was made in two fine automobiles and besides visiting Eel river and Potter valley the party made a trip through Lake County and back to this city on the last day of their three day visit covering something over one hundred miles in the run. This was Senator Feltons first trip to the properties of the company and he, with the rest of the party, expressed himself as very favorably impressed with Potter valley and Lake county. The fine body of land in the upper part of Potter valley was something that particularly impressed him as he had no idea that the quality of the soil was so good.

The tunnel through the mountain through which it is proposed to divert a portion of the waters of Eel river for power is about one and one eighth miles long and the hole has been bored through the mountain but has not yet been timbered. The lower dam is practically completed and the rvservoir site is cleared off. The saw mill which is to furnish the lumber needed in the enterprise is practically completed. An immense amount of work connected with the surveying of the reservoirs and dams has also been completed and the work was found to be in good shape and was highly satisfactory to the visitors.

The gentlemen have the matter of resuming work under consideration and it is expected that they will make an announcement as to the course that will be pursued in this matter in the near future. Nothing, however, has yet been decided as to the date but it is known that work will be resumed and that the entire scheme will be pushed to completion.

The Local High School

The Ukiah high school will open September 10th, and it is expected that the attendance this year will exceed any previous record. Principal Westerman states that the interest this year in the date that the school will open is keeping him busy answering correspondence and that he is getting so that he dreads to open his mail as he knows what is coming. On the other hand, however, he is very pleased that people are interested in the school. The entrance examination will commence on September 7th.

In the Superior Court.

The following cases have been filed in the local superior court during the week: Criminal—The People vs. W. L. Staley; People vs. George Rockey. Civil—C. J. Chandon vs. Andrew Peterson; Katie Stimson vs. Geo. W. Stimson; Union Lumber company vs. J. V. Foster; Henry Meyer vs. Fannie C. Lamar. Probate—Richard Clapp; Mary Melendy; Robert Cantrell; Elizabeth Ogden; M. Hoffman; Chas. Aulin; Thos. Edwards; William H. Crowell.

Held For Murder.

The preliminary examination of Hiram Simmons charged with the murder of Jacob Frei was held at Covelo Tuesday and Simmons was bound over to the superior court. He was brought down yesterday and lodged in the local jail. District Attorney Duncan was present at the preliminary examination.

To Move Telephone Office.

The Sunset Telephone and Telegraph company has fouud its present quarters too crowded and is moving into the store adjoining, recently occupied by W. H. Duffield as a grocery.

COVELO PEOPLE LIKE FAIRBANKS

The regard in which the people of Round valley hold Supervisor Fairbanks regardless of political affiliation, for his earnest endeavors in their behalf is shown by the following clipping from the Covelo Review:

At the meeting of the Supervisors last week Supervisor A. J. Fairbanks submitted plans for the proposed wagon bridge across the North Fork of the Middle Eel river at the Sacramento valley road crossing. The bridge is to be a wooden structure and large and strong enough for heavy travel.

In this connection we might add that for his persistance the proposition would have been turned down again like it was at the former meeting. Mr. Fairbanks has certainly done as much, or more, for this section than any other supervisor we ever had. Now in order to show our appreciation it is up to the voters to re-elect him.

LOUIS GONSALVES

of Mendocino, the subject of this sketch, is a young gentleman of ability and has been chosen a candidate for the office of district attorney on the Republican ticket. He is a graduate of the law department of the University of California and is amply able to attend to the legal business of the county. He is bright and active and promises to make a thorough canvass of the county in the interests of his candidacy. If elected he promises the entire devotion of his time and ability to the duties of the office and will leave no stone unturned to bring the evil doer to justice. He is a young man and as such should get a large vote among new voters especially among the voters on the coast where he was born and raised and received his common school education.

Hunt the Discoverer.

In reporting the find of the splendid fresh water springs at Riverside it was inadvertantly stated that they were discovered by Mr. Collins. It should have been stated that they were discovered by T. A. Hunt while taking his annual dip in Coyote creek. Hunt states that there was no need of making the correction as every one in the neighborhood knew of the event of his annual bath as it had been properly advertised. It is feared, however, that an erroneous impression might have gone out that Collins was breaking over the rules as it is generally known that he is not nearly due for a plunge. Hunt is now known as the Columbus of Coyote valley as he has no peer as a discoverer in that section. Chas. Smith states that he has been examining the properties of the waters discoveerd by Hunt and that he is hopeful that they may prove ae efficient as the wellknown Gobbi water.

The Pear Crop.

The pear crop of this valley has practically all disposed of to the California Fruit Canners association. The price received was $20 a ton. The crop is good this year and the price will be quite a lift to the fortunate owners of perr orchards.

The Automobile And the Grades

The following is taken from the Mendocino Beacon and reads as if it were intended as a slap at Supervisor Barnard, whom the Beacon has never lost an opportunity to hit at regardless of his motives and the correctness of his position, and all because of a personal spite.

The board of supervisors has passed an ordinance prohibiting the use of automobiles on the coast road from Fort Bragg north to Humboldt county line and also on the road in the interior of the county from Sherwood to Humboldt county. This measure will bar the contemplated automobile mail and passenger service between Sherwood and the southern terminis of the Humboldt county railroad and it will also protect Mr. Barnord's stage line from any competition of this kind, but it will not protect the remainder of the county—if such protection is really needed. The automobile has come to stay, and instead of trying to exclude it from certain portions of the county and letting it run rough-shod over others, would it not be better to pass an ordinance making careful driving on the part of all automobilists the chief requisite and impose a penalty sufficient to insure its being complied with?

In regard to the passage of the ordinance there can be no question that it is a good one as there are grades in the northern portion of the county that are so narrow and steep that it would be a danger to the lives of our people and their property to permit some tourists with more money than sense to drive automobiles over them. Horses will scare at automobiles and the mountain grades are no place for them until a time when automobiles get so common that horses are accustomed to them or until the gasoline car supersedes horseflesh as a mode of travel. If the danger were to the man in the automobile there would be no reason for the ordinance but when the property owner and tax-payer who makes the road possible is the sufferer he is entitled to protection.

Inasmuch as the danger of Mr. Barnard's stage line being in danger of being superseded by an automobile line and the passage of the ordinance being for a personal motive one is tempted to reply in popular slang by saying, "What a foolishness." In the first place an automobile line over the mountain grades is impracticable and no one with a practical idea would give it a thought. In San Francisco where automobiles are common and the streets are better than our mountain grades ever will be there are some of the streets that only a few of the highest grade autos can negotiate and then they only do so to show that it can be done. Take a slushy, slippery grade in the winter and what would an automobile do on it? It is out of the question.

But on the other hand supposing that it were possible and that an auto stage line could be run over the route now handled by Mr. Barnard what would be the result?. Naturally Mr. Barnard would put on a line of autos and not the other fellow. The ordinance would then be to his disadvantage. Supervisors Barnard and Fairbanks, whose districts the automobile ordinance covers had been approached by their constituents and asked to pass such a measure and it beyond boubt meets with the approval of a majority of the people living in their districts.

There is no question that the automobile has come to stay and that it should be allowed the privilege of the road in the valleys and that people who own horses should use every endeavor to have them become accustomed to the machines. At the present time however it seems a very wise plan to keep the automobiles off the narrow mountain grades., as by doing so it works a hardship on no one. The man who has neccessity for traveling cannot afford to own one and the man who owns one can easily pick a better road.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

One of our contemporaries who claims to have celebrated a birthday with a recent issue, and is making strenuous efforts to make someone believe that he is a real Republican official hand organ with a bellows attachment, reaches around and pats himself on the back in the following manner:

"In politics the paper is now recognized as the county official organ of the Republican party, having gained that distinction by a consistent and continuous support of the principles of the party and its candidates."

Then on another page his enthusiasm overcomes him and he endorses three Democrats in the following manner:

I wouldn't mind bein a Senator but J B has the bun and reckon hell git the whole backer ez usual.

J C then suggestid the District Attorney offis, but tole him he was a fule, because Mr. Duncan has that offis all tu hisself.

He then axed me if I wanted the Sheriffs offis, but I tole him it was no go caws Emmet held that offis in the holler of his hand and yu kant beat him, for he is popular as sin.

Some Republicans might be foolish enough to think that it must have the Democrats who placed him in nomination for the position of county official hand organ. But then there is no telling what a fiver will do to a man who is wrestling with hard Times.

Committed Suicide.

Andrew Dillind committed suicide at Greenwood last week by blowing his brains out. The deceased was a German and aged about twenty-seven years.

GEO. ROCKEY KILLS BOB BELL

On Sunday night about 9 o'clock an Indian known as Bob Bell was killed on the De Haven beach by Geo. Rockey, a half breed says the Fort Bragg Advocate. The two men had some little trouble during the day and at night when they returned to camp, on the beach, they met and after a few words passed between them, Rockey fired two shots at Bell. One bullet struck the upper part of the left chest, passed through the upper lobe of the left lung through the shoulder blade and passed out at the back. The second one entered the left side about three inches below the first shot. The bullet broke three ribs on the left side, crossed over and passed through the right lung and lodged in the back ribs of the right side. Bell fell dead instantly. Dr. Sherwood was immediately summoned and arrived on the scene a short time after the shooting, only to find the Indian dead. Rockey is now in jail awaiting trial.

Plenty of Good Meat.

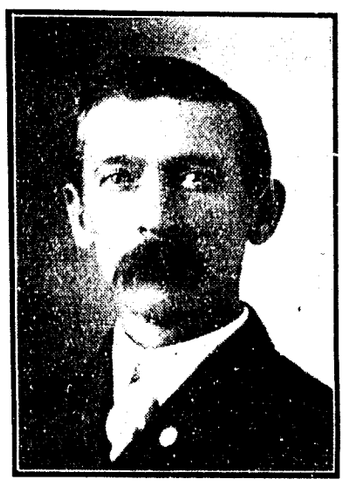
Chas. Smith has been laying in a supply of meat this week for the benefit of the hoppickers. He reports having purchased about sixty head of prime cattle from Stambaugh, Adams Bros., Farmer Cox and Jim Howard. From Douglass Walker of Potter he secured about one hundred head of choice mutton sheep and Owen Sweeney of Potter furnished a fine bunch of hogs.

Hogs Go Up.

C. P. Smith reports that the price of hogs has advanced rapidly during the past week and has now touched the highest price in years. He is now offering six and a half cents for prime hogs.

HOP PRICES ARE GOING SKYWARD

Hoppicking commenced this week in most of the fields and the harvesting of the beer blossoms is now well under way. The yield this year is exceptionally large and the hops are of a fine quality. It is stated that in most of the fields there will be a ton of dry hops to the acre. The price being paid for picking is $1.00 a hundred pounds. Owing to the shortage of hops in England the price offered the growers has taken rapid strides in the last few days and as high as 20 cents has been offered this week. It is stated that twenty-five is being paid in Oregon and it is confidently expected that the price will reach at least that much in this valley before the crop is harvested. At this figure the hopgrowers will have veritable gold mines on their ranches and good times beyond the fondest dreams will be our portion this year.



C. W. MATHEWS

of Potter valley, the regular Republican nominee for the office of county auditor, is a gentlemen who deserves the support of every Republican in the county. He has lived in this county a number of years and has always been a consistent Republican. His training in the conducting of business colleges has been along a line that has qualified for him the position to which he aspires. As an accountant he has been one of the experts of the county employed by the board of supervisors to look over claims for several months past and his work has gived absolute satisfaction to everybody. In this work he has also become acquainted with the routine of the county business and will go into office with experience that will be of inestimable value to him.

Open In New Quarters

York & Cleland are again open for business much to the satisfaction of their many friends. The boys have a complete stock of cigars and tobacco and smokers articles as well as stationery and kindred lines. It is really a pleasure to be able to hear the genial Mont ask the customer who steps to the counter and asks for a cigar whether he wants an inside or an outdoor weed, Bill of course isn't so foolish. Joking aside however the store is one of the neatest in the state. All the goods are displayed in glass front cases along the walls and plate glass counters add to the attractiveness of the arrangement. They intend to live up to their reputation of handling nothing but first class goods and the smoker can get his brand by asking—provided of course he has the price.

Some Good Fencing

J. A. Farmer representing the Pacific Fence Construction company reports that his crew has finished eight miles of fencing on the A. S Mann place west of this city. The fences are of the latest pattern and is of woven wire and proof against the attacks of the ordinaay animal. The Mann ranch is now one of the best enclosed ranches in the county. Mr. Farmer has moved his crew to the state hospital grounds where he will erect about a mile of fence.

DROWNED AT MENDOCINO

Louie C. Foland was drowned at the mouth of Big river last Sunday morning between 11 and 12 o'clock, says the Mendocino Beacon. I seems that Foland, George W. Jarvis and Percy Daniels boarded the drowned man's 16-foot gasoline lauch and went out over the bar into the open bay which is about the same as the ocean for such a small craft. They went out for the purpose of trying their hand at deep sea fishing and were out less than an hour. Foland became seasick at once and it was decided to turn back. As they neared the bar where small breakers are always seen it was suggested that a life preserver be put on Foland who was now too sick to sit up. This was immediately done and as a precautionary measure each of the others put one on. It was a wise thing for them as subsequent events proved. The swells in the bay were not out of the ordinary but large enough to cause the propeller and rudder to be out of the water a good deal of the time. When they struck the first breaker, as they were coming into the river, the little cockleshell was turned sideways to the waves and the next swell upset the boat. They all succeeded in getting hold of the boat again but each succeeding breaker would overturn it. Foland was soon cast adrift and the others remarked that he would soon drown as they were unable to help him.

Jarvis was rendered almost helpless by the lines getting wrapped around him, but the two managed to stay with the boat until shallow water was reached in a few minutes on the sand spit at the mouth of the river. Boys swimming near sounded the alarm and a boat was soon out in the river and Foland's body was recovered, but life was extinct. In less than twenty minutes from the overturning of the boat men were working over Foland's body. Doctors Piersol and Caspar and many willing men worked faithfully and hard and resorted to every known means of resuscitation for three solid hours, but life could not be restored.

Library Notes.

A month has passed since the opening of the library during which 573 people have been in attendance and 242 books have been exchanged. A number of new books have been donated by towns people and a traveling library of fifty books and magazines from Los Angeles has been loaned for a period of six months. Next week a new traveling library of fifty books from the state library at Sacramento will be at our disposal. Mrs. H. Marks has given a valuable contribution in magazines—the Century magazine from January to August, inclusive. The August numbers of the following magazines are now on hand: St. Nicholas, House Beautiful, Delineator. Harpers Bazaar, Review of Reviews. Cosmopolitan, World Today, Technical World, Ladies' Home Journal, Success. The Sunset whose plant was completely destroyed by the great fire has but recently issued its June-July number. The August number will undoubtedly be late.

Laughlin & Duff Open

Laughlin and Duff opened their gents furnishing store in the new White building Monday and report that they have been doing a fine business ever since. The boys have one of the neatest and most uptodate stores in the country and it is filled with attractive gents furnishings of the latest styles. They are also handling a full line of made to order clothes and celebrated their opening day by taking orders for several suits. The stock of samples they have is complete and they are an awful temptation to the male eye.

Attorney W. P. Thomas paid San Francisco a business visit this week.

MOVING TO OUR NEW STORE
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Business will continue just the same and customers will receive the same careful attention as always.

C. Hofman

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lence, blowing clouds of white smoke out into the night.

Roger Oakley hitched his chair nearer his son's and rested a heavy hand on his knee. "I like it here," he said.

"Do you? I am glad."

"What will be the chances of my finding work? You know I'm a cabinet-maker by trade."

"There's no need of your working, so don't worry about that."

"But I must work, Dannie. I ain't used to sitting still and doing nothing."

"Well," said Oakley, willing to humor him, "there are the car shops."

"Can you get me in?"

"Oh, yes, when you are ready to start. I'll have McClintock, the master mechanic, find something in your line for you to do."

"I'll need to get a kit of tools."

"I guess McClintock can arrange that too. I'll see him about it when you are ready."

"Then that's settled. I'll begin in the morning," with quiet determination.

"But don't you want to look around first?"

"I'll have my Sundays for that." And Dan saw that there was no use in arguing the point with him. He was bent on having his own way.

The old convict filled his lungs with a deep, free breath. "Yes, I'm going to like it. I always did like a small town anyhow. Tell me about yourself, Dannie. How do you happen to be here?"

Dan roused himself. "I don't know. It's chance, I suppose. After mother's death"—

"Twenty years ago last March," breaking in upon him softly; then, nodding at the starlit heavens: "She's up yonder now watching us. Nothing's hidden or secret. It's all plain to her."

"Do you really think that, father?"

"I know it, Dannie." And his tone was one of settled conviction.

Dan had already discovered that his father was deeply religious. It was a faith the like of which had not descended to his own day and generation.

"Well, I had it rather hard for awhile," going back to his story.

"Yes," with keen sympathy. "You were nothing but a little boy."

"Finally I was lucky enough to get a place as a newsboy on a train. I sold papers until I was sixteen and then began braking. I wanted to be an engineer, but I guess my ability lay in another direction. At any rate, they took me off the road and gave me an office position instead. I got to be a division superintendent, and then I met General Cornish. He is one of the directors of the line I was with at the time. Three months ago he made me an offer to take hold here, and so here I am."

"And you've never been back home, Dannie?"

"Never once. I've wanted to go, but I couldn't."

He hoped his father would understand.

"Well, there ain't much to take you there but her grave. I wish she might have lived. You'd have been a great happiness to her, and she got very little happiness for her portion any way you look at it. We were only just married when the war came, and I was gone four years. Then there was about eleven years when we were getting on nicely. We had money put by and owned our own home. Can you remember it, Dannie, the old brick place on the corner across from the postoffice? A new Methodist church stands there now. It was sold to get money for my lawyer when the big trouble came. Afterward, when everything was spent, she must have found it very hard to make a living for herself and you."

"She did," said Dan gently. "But she managed somehow to keep a roof over our heads."

"When the law sets out to punish it doesn't stop with the guilty only. When I went to her grave and saw there were flowers growing on it and that it was being cared for it told me what you were. She was a very brave woman, Dannie. You know that was an awful thing about Sharp."

Dan turned toward him quickly.

"Why do you speak of it? It's all past now."

"I'd sort of like to tell you about it."

There was a long pause, and he continued:

"Sharp and I had been enemies for a long time. It started back before the war, when he wanted to marry your mother. We both enlisted in the same regiment, and somehow the trouble kept alive. He was a bit of a bully, and I was counted a handy man with my fists too. The regiment was always trying to get us into the ring together, but we knew it was dangerous. We had sense enough for that. I won't say he would have done it, but I never felt safe when there was a fight on in all those four years. It's easy enough to shoot the man in front of you and no one be the wiser. Many a score's been settled that way. When we got home again we didn't get along any better. He was a drinking man and had no control over himself when liquor got the best of him. I did my share in keeping the feud alive. What he said of me and what I said of him generally reached both of us in time, as you can fancy.

"At last, when I joined the church, I concluded it wasn't right to hate a man the way I hated Sharp, for, you see, he'd never really done anything to me.

"One day I stopped in at the smithy—he was a blacksmith—to have a talk with him and see if we couldn't patch it up somehow and be friends. It was a Saturday afternoon, and he'd been drinking more than was good for him.

"I hadn't hardly got the first words out when he came at me with a big sledge in his hand, all in a rage and swearing he'd have my life. I pushed him off and started for the door. I saw it was no use to try to reason with him, but he came at me again, and this time he struck me with his sledge. It did no harm, though it hurt, and I pushed him out of my way and backed off toward the door. The lock was caught, and before I could open it he was within striking distance again and I had to turn to defend myself. I snatched up a bar of iron perhaps a foot long. I had kept my temper down until then, but the moment I had a weapon in my hand it got clean away from me, and in an instant I was fighting—just as he was fighting—to kill."

Roger Oakley had told the story of the murder in a hard, emotionless voice, but Dan saw in the half light that his face was pale and drawn. Dan found it difficult to associate the thought of violence with the man at his side, whose whole manner spoke of an unusual restraint and control. That he had killed a man, even in self defense, seemed preposterous and inconceivable.

There was a part of the story Roger Oakley could not tell and which his son had no desire to hear.

"People said afterward that I'd gone there purposely to pick a quarrel with Sharp, and his helper, who, it seems, was in the yard back of the smithy setting a wagon tire, swore he saw me through a window as I entered and that I struck the first blow. He may have seen only the end of it and really believed I did begin it, but that's a sample of how things got twisted. Nobody believed my motive was what I said it was. The jury found me guilty of murder, and the judge gave me a life sentence. A good deal of a fuss was made over what I did at the fire last winter. Hart told me he'd sent you the papers."

Dan nodded, and his father continued:

"Some ladies who were interested in mission work at the prison took the matter up and got me my pardon. It's a fearful and a wicked thing for a man to lose his temper, Dannie. At first I was bitter against every one who had a hand in sending me to prison, but I've put that all from my heart. It was right I should be punished."

He rose from his chair, striking the ashes from his pipe.

"Ain't it very late, Dannie? I'll just put away my things, and then we can go to bed. I didn't mean to keep you up."

Oakley watched his precise and orderly arrangement of his few belongings. He could see that it was a part of the prison discipline under which he had lived for almost a quarter of a century. When the contents of his bundle were disposed of to his satisfaction he put on a pair of steel rimmed spectacles with large, round glasses and took up a well thumbed Bible, which he had placed at one side.

"I hope you haven't forgotten this book, Dannie," tapping it softly with a heavy forefinger.

"Don't you know me, Dannie?"

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If you want to buy or sell town or country property, call on J. M. Owen

WANTED—To buy military bounty land warrants issued to soldiers of the Mexican war, the Indian wars and the war of 1812.

MENTIONED PERSONALLY

C. H. Kent returned Tuesday from a business visit to San Francisco.

Ewert has the swellest line of jewelry in town an his prices are right.

B. M. Bucknell was called to San Francisco this week on a business visit.

I have buyers for town property What have you? J. M. OWEN.

Miss Kate Bromley is visiting Dr Susan Orpha Harris of San Francisco.

Plums for canning from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Belvail and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Duff were visitors at Santa Rosa Sunday.

Highest price paid for all kinds of hides and furs at C. Hofman's. tf

W. A. S. Foster of Willits visited San Francisco last week.

Swiss cheese at Lucas Bros.

Mrs. S. S. McGarvey and Miss Bssaie McGarvey were visitors at Cloverdale last week.

Plums for canning from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul.

Pat Connolly and Hugh Preston were visitors to Santa Rosa Sunday.

Plums for canning from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul.

Carl Hoag returned Saturday to Berkeley to resume his studies at the university.

Do not forget that Ewert does repair work, If he fixes your watch it is fixed.

Col. Marders is up on a visit to relatives in Potter valley.

Diamond goods at Ewerets and whatever you buy is guaranteed to be just as represented. That is worth something, isn't it.

Miss Minnie Bucknell spent last week visiting in San Francisco.

Cloverdale Olive Oil at Cloverdale prices. Sold exclusively at J. R. Mathew's pharmacy.

Miss Edith Cooley who has been visiting friends and relatives in this city returned to her home in Cloverdale Sunday.

A trade—A drove of turkeys for some sheep. Inquire at this office.

Attorney T. L. Carothers returned last week from a visit to Orrs. He is much improved in health.

Limberger cheese at Lucas Bros.

Reece Clow was over from Philo last week on a business visit.

Holland cheese at Lucas Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bucknell of Upperlake were over last week. Mrs. Bucknell left for Sacramento to visit relatives for a few days.

Plums for canning from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul.

County Surveyor H. J. Randall returned last week from the coast where he had been on a surveying trip. He reports the coast prosperous.

Galveston's Sea Wall

makes life now as safe in that city as on higher uplands. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton St., in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone. "Cures chronic Coughs, La Grippe, Croup Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasent to take Every bottle guaranteed at J. R. Mathews Pharmacy Price 50c and $.100. Trile bottle free.

Mrs. Richardson returned last week from a visit to Willits where she had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson.

Soldiers additional homestead claims—Any union soldier who made a homestead filing of 40, 80 or 120 acres in any state between the years of 1862 and 1884 has a claim coming to him. I also buy Valentine, Porterfield, Ware, Girard, Sioux, Half breed or any other class of land scrip. Address R. H. Peale, 1603 Brush street, Oakland, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ganter returned to San Francisco during the week. They have the sympathy of their many friends here in their recent bereavement.

In Self Defenes

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitualionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked, four years ago, by Piles, bruoght a box of Buckle's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burnes, Sores, Cuts and Wounds 25c at. J. R. Mathen's Pharmacy.

Miss Emma Spencer, one of the most popular employees of the Sunset Telephone company in this county, has resigned her position at Willits to accept one at San Rafael.

Potatoes—Just received a carload of fine table potatoes at C. Hofman's.

Jess Porterfield visited friends at Willits last week and while there bagged a fine deer.

Pipe, pumps and tanks at Donohoe & Ganter.

H. B. Smith and W. G. Poage are on the coast on a pleasure trip.

If you want a sack of good, smooth cooking potatoes, call at C. Hofman's.

Judge and Mrs. J. M. Mannon returned Friday from a visit to San Francisco.

If you want a piece of jewelry go to Ewerts and tell him what you want. You will be sure to get it.

The force acknowledge the receipt of a box of choice assorted fruit from C. W. Sanders this week grown on his ranch south of town. The quality was excellent as is attested by its quick disappearance.

If you buy your jewelry at Ewerts remember that he guarantees it.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Weller of Fort Bragg passed through town the early part of this week on their wedding tour. The groom was the recipient of the congratulations of his many friends in this city.

When you buy a present for your girl you want to give her something that will be a thing of beauty and a joy forever. This, of course, must be a piece of jewelry. The place to go is Ewert's. If you do not know exactly what you want they will help you make your selection and give you the advantage of years of experience.

Ed Ordway of Fort Bragg spent several days in this city during the week on a business visit.

CASTORIA.
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W. F. one Fuller, of the popular employees of the Union Lumber company of Fort Bragg, spent a few days in town last week. Mrs. Fuller accompanied him.

Cut glass and silverware for wedding presents at Ewerts. No misrepresentations.

The school bond election held here last Saturday created considerable interest and resulted in the bond proposition being approved, which assures a handsome school house being erected, says the Point Arena Record. Fifty-six votes were cast, twelve being against issuing bonds. Saturday's election give the trustees $5100, including the insurance, to erect and furnish a building for grammar school purposes.

A Mysteey Solved.

"How to keep off periodic attacks of billiousness and habitual constipation was a mystery that Dr. King's New life Pills solved for me," writes John N. Pleasant, of Magnolia, Ind The only pills that are guaranteed to give perect satisfaction to everybody or money refunded. only 25c at J. R Mathews Pharmacy.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Allen are visiting in Pacific Grove. The doctor is one of the assistant physicians at the Mendocino state hospital.

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Within half an hour after supper last Saturday evening the alarm was sounded in the domicile of Louie Lombardy that Mrs. Lombardy was dying according to the Mendocino Beacon. A physician was summoned but he was powerless to relieve the woman as she was in the last throes of death. Poison had evidently been administrated but whether taken by herself with suicidal intent or at the h nds of others the coroner's jury was unable to determine. External evidence all went to show that it was a case of suicide.

Our map paper and souvenir envelopes will advertise the county without extra expense. Address W. O. White for samples and prices.

Nellie Crawford, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford, of Caspar, fell from a fence down a rocky embankment and sustained injuries from the effects of which she died last Sunday says the Mendocino Beacon.

George Porterfield was a visitor to San Francisco Sunday.

Chas Guidi, who has been employed in a packing house in San Francisco for nearly a year past returned home Sunday. He states that he has had enough of the strenuousness of city life and will make his home in Ukiah in future.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root,** the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Big shoe sale tomorrow and Monday at the City of Ukiah.

C. K. Peters and Grant Vassar of Hopland were in town this week on a business visit.

C. T. Gilger was up from Hopland Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Gould of Willits was in this city Sunday.

J. W. Ricker left this week for San where he has accepted a position.

Wanted—Clean cotton rags at this office.

Walter Mann and Tom Flanagan were down from Hemlock Monday on a business visit.

C. F. Craig of Berkley was up during the week on a business visit. He also visited in Willits.

Lee R. David has recovered from his recent indisposition and is again able to be at work.

H. Marks & Co. are compelled to hold the muslin, underwear and corset sale tomorrow and Monday, together with the shoe sale, as they must bring the clearance sale to an end on account of fall goods arriving. Many great bargains in other lines will be offered by H. Marks and Co. Saturday and Monday the last days of a great clearance sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hubbard and infant son of San Jose are the guests of Mr. ana Mrs. R. L. Hutchison this week. Mr. Hubbard is one of the supervisors of Santa Clara county.

WANTED—Young women between ages of eighteen and twenty-five to take nurses training. 2314 Dwight way, Berkeley, Cal.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul, Ukiah.

Jeff Dickens was down from his mill this week and reports a demand for more lumber than he can cut.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Address E. V. D. Paul, Ukiah.

S. D. Nolan, a prominent resident of Caspar, was over during the week on a business visit. He reports times prosperous on the coast.

P. Greening of Caspar was a visitor to this city this week.

G. G. Lewis of Westport was noticed in this city during the early part of the week.

Miss Mamie Tack, who has been an employee at the State hospital for the past two years, left last Monday for Crescent city on a visit to friends and relatives.

L. Hoag of Boonville came over from Boonville this week accompanied by his son Carl, who is returning to college, and Mrs. J. W. Barrett and daughter of Stockton and Mrs. E. Hopkins of San Jose, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Anderson valley for some time past.

Mrs. J. R. La Rue of Sacramento is visiting in this city this week.

David Boyd of Navarro had business in town this week.

Bud Switzer of Fort Bragg was over on a business visit Monday.

Mrs. S. P. West and Cecil a West of Cahto were in this city during the week.

Mrs. L. Garsey and Miss Carrie Garsey left this week for a months' visit with friends and relatives in Sacramento.

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Mrs. W. B. Coombs of Littleriver, who has been visiting in this city for some weeks past, returned yesterday.

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Charles Whited of Willits was in this city this week on a business visit.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Address E. V. D. Paul, Ukiah.

Miss Gertie Jourdan of San Francisco came up this week for a short visit with friends.

Dr. Case and family are moving into the John Hoffman house this week.

For Sale—Old type metal suitable for babbit metal. Enquire at this office.

W. T. Brush of Cloverdale was in this city this week.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dyke of Talmage has been quite seriously ill this week but is reported to be somewhat improved although not yet out of danger.

Attorney J. C. Ruddock is sojourning a while in Covelo renewing acquaintances.

Treasurer J. N. Rea spent Wednesday renewing acquaintances in Hopland.

Al Mankins has been on the sick list for the past week.

A marriage license was granted this week to Herman E. Ostelund and Adelina Sophia Espholm of Fort Bragg.

Sel Bevans, Chas. Neill and Joe Jackson were down from Potter Wednesday with a bunch of hogs. They disposed of about forty head for six cents.

Alex Rawles was in town this week starting out on his campaign trip in the northern part of the county. Alex is the Republican nomin e for sheriff and is making an excellent canvass.

George Hughes came up from Santa Barbara this week to recuperate. He has been in ill health for the past six months and says that he thinks the climate of Mendocino county will help him. He is accompanied by his daugther, Jimmie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Forest who have been visiting Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. Van Voast and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carothers for the past two weeks, left this week for San Francisco where Mr. Forrest will engage in business. Mrs. Forrest will be remembered as Bertie Bextol formerly of this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bextol left this week for San Francisco where Frank has accepted a position at his trade for $4 a day. He expects in a few weeks to get a raise to $5. He has almost recovered from his recent accident, much to the gratification of his many friends.

W. I. Bailey returned this week from Willits where he had been to repair the plastering in the Hotel Willits. He was accompanied by his son Irving.

H. T. Hopper, P. W. Handy, Tom Perry and Jack Payne returned this week from a hunting trip. They report some excellent sport and secured some venison.

Ben Melton returned last week from a visit to the south land.

Col. Abe Marks visited Santa Rosa this week on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Grider of Marysville arrived this week. Mr. Grider is a wellknown hopman of Marysville and while here will have charge of the drykilns on the Horst ranches.

Fred Brown of Point Arena was a visitor to this city during the week.

Wanted.

Young man with a team desires work through hoppicking hauling hops and will do other necessary work but wages must be in accordance with time and kind of labor. For further information call at this office. 3mo.

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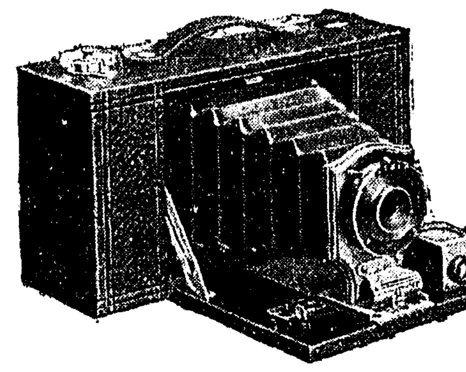


Orders filled for either by mail or express. : Catalogs on application

J. R. MATHEW'S, Pharmacy

Hofman is Moving.

C. Hofman has been busy this week moving into his new quarters in the Rudee building. The grocery department has now been established in its new location and the dry goods and shoe and other departments will follow as fast as possible. The new store is being fitted with new fixtures and will be uptodate in every particular. It is well lighted and commodious and has fine display windows and will be one of the finest stores in the county.

For Rent

In Upperlake opposite the postoffice for rent—A suitable building for confectionery and ice cream, etc., particularly during bean season. nquire J. N. League.

Riverside is Popular.

C. P. Smith reports that over forty people took dinner at Riverside last Sunday. The resort is fast becoming a popular one and the manner in which it is conducted insures that it will be successful. It is one of the finest drives in this section and best of all when you arrive there is always a good meal waiting for you. Chef White is hard to beat.

Sinks, bathtubs, etc., at Donohoe & Ganter

Another Republican.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Leslie Crawford of Largo presented her husband with a fine ten pound son and heir and he is now the proudest man south of this city. It is understood that the little fellow has already expressed his intention of supporting the Republican ticket Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford of Largo are particularly proud as this is their second grandchild.

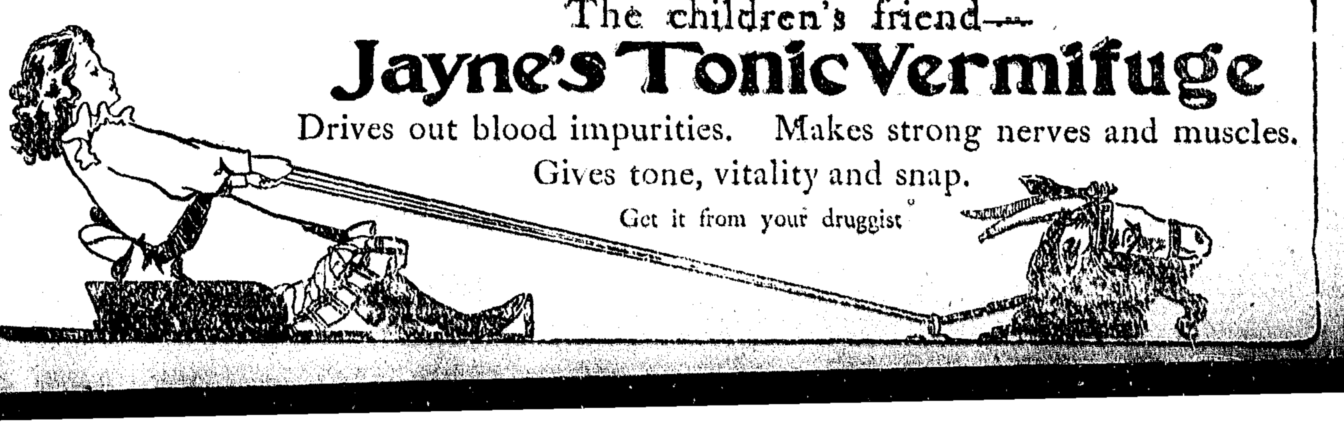
Holbrook is Rustling

E. E. Holbrook was down from Potter this week looking after his interests as candidate for the recorder's office on the Republican ticket. He had just returned from Covelo where he reports that he ran across John Ruddock, Bob Duncan and Guy R wine who are all doing Democratic politics. He states however, that he managed to hold his own Gene will leave for the coast shortly where he will put in a few weeks calling on the voters.

Married In This City.

Anton Holtz of Wendling and Georgia Springer of Cloverdale were married in this city by Judge Crockett Wednesday.

Dave Rudee, the popular Covelo merchant, passed through town this week on his way to San Francisco to purchase supplies.



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PINEAPPLES.

The Juice of This Fruit Is a Great Aid to Digestion.

The word enzyme does not appear to have any connection with pineapple, yet it is the name of the chemical that gives to the luscious fruit the remarkably digestible property which it possesses. The prevailing notion that pineapple juice is excellent for the digestion is supported by medical testimony. Eat a slice of the fruit after dinner, say the doctors, and you will not suffer from dyspepsia.

If you want to see what pineapple can accomplish in the way of digestion, you can easily test it on a piece of raw steak. The action of pineapple juice on meat is to transform it into jelly and then dissolve it when in the human stomach.

Place a slice of the fruit on the raw meat as it lies on a plate, and the upper surface of the steak where the fruit touches it will soon become gelatinous. Enzyme, the active principle of the juice, can be obtained by throwing salt into the juice, thus producing a precipitate.

A good sized pineapple contains two pints of juice, a fact that gives an idea of what a slice of the fruit will do for digestion. If cooked, the pineapple loses its virtue in this respect. It may be asked whether the consumption of the somewhat woody fruit itself is beneficial or not, for that can scarcely be easily digestible.

Without doubt it is the juice which does the good, not the flesh of the pineapple, but the property of the juice is so effective that the eating of the fruit itself can do no harm and may even be beneficial, inasmuch as it takes some of the strength of the juice to dissolve it and so prevents the stomach suffering from the too violent effects of the juice.

THE SEISMOGRAPH.

How the Earthquake Indicator Records the Shocks.

In its simplest form an earthquake indicator might be a tray with notched edges so filled with mercury that a shaking of the earth would cause an overflow in the direction of the movement. In the instrument used by science the pendulum is employed, vertical by some Italians, horizontal by the Japanese, English, most European and American observers. A movement of the earth affects everything but the pendulum, which is so freely hung as to remain stationary, and a recording device makes the result visible. Of old with the vertical pendulum a sharp point drew the profile of the movements on a blackened surface. Photographic paper in moving strips serves the modern instruments.

The horizontal pendulum turns on a vertical axis and carries at its extremity a heavy weight which earth shock does not reach. In the Milne seismograph a platinum sheet attached to this weight has a slit intersecting at right angles a slit in a second sheet underneath. In times of quiet reflected light passing through both slits makes one point and prints a straight line on the moving bromide paper. When the earth shakes the lower slit moves and the line becomes crooked, according to the strength of the shock. A clockwork arrangement with shutters and a light times the disturbance.

The instruments are so delicate as sometimes to indicate shocks which no men have felt.—New York World.

Abraham Lincoln's Substitute.

During the earlier days of the war it seems to have been the desire of all prominent men in Washington to have a representative in the ranks, and Lincoln was no exception to the rule. At that time there was a minister named Staples in Washington, one of whose sons, then aged nineteen, had a desire to go to the front. Lincoln heard of him and, after a conference, selected him as his representative, and he proved worthy, for he won honor on the field. He survived the war and finally died in Stroudsburg, Pa. The inscription on the stone over his grave reads as follows: "J. Summerfield Staples, a private of Company C, One Hundred and Seventy-sixth regiment, P. V.; also a member of the Second regiment, D. C. volunteers, as substitute of Abraham Lincoln."

A Good Answer.

A shopkeeper had for his virtues obtained the name of "the little rascal." A stranger asked him why the appellation had been given to him.

"To distinguish me from the rest of my trade," quoth he, "who are all great rascals."—London Mail.

THE MANCHURIA GOES AGROUND

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMER STRIKES ROCK DURING A HEAVY RAINSTORM.

Heavy Seas Threaten to Do Great Damage to the Stranded Boat—May Be Able to Save Her.

Honolulu, Aug. 21.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer Manchuria is on the reef at Rabbit Island.

The Manchuria struck, bow-on, during a heavy rainstorm yesterday. She was considerably damaged.

Rabbit Island is a small speck in the sea close to the windward side of the Island of Oahu, on which Honolulu is located. The coast here is unusually dangerous owing to the onshore seas.

The steamer lies about 300 feet from the main shore. There are from two to three fathoms of water forward and about six fathoms aft. The tug Fearless and the inter-island steamer J. A. Cummins have gone to the secene. The agents of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at Honolulu are on the Fearless.

It was high tide when the Manchuria struck. An officer who has come ashore expresses the opinion that the vessel can be floated at high tide.

There is no danger of any loss of life.

PLOT TO KILL FRENCH RULER.

Italian Anarchist Is Arrested at Marseilles on Suspicion.

Marseilles, France, Aug. 21.—The police yesterday arrested an Italian anarchist named Cirillo Francez, a bootmaker, on suspicion of being in a plot to assassinate President Fallieres on his approaching visit to the Marseilles Exposition. When Francez's lodgings were searched 43 ounces of fulminate, 38 lead screws and other bomb accessories, all of which had been brought from Italy, were found.

The arrest was the result of an anonymous letter, denouncing the plot, which had wide ramifications and it is believed to be connected with the arrest of the Italian on the Franco-Spanish frontier at the time of the attempt on the lives of King Alfonso and Queen Victoria in Madrid. This Italian was released by the French police for want of evidence, but was expelled from the country.

Railway Men in Demand.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 21—Railroads entering Pittsburg are in sore straits for men to man their trains. Some of them have raised the age limit established for new employes some years ago, while others are abandoning it altogether. The tremendous increase in freight business finds them all short-handed, while at the same time the Western roads are draining the Eastern market of all available men to help move the phenomenal crops. Advertisements are appearing in the local papers for men to fill positions as brakemen and conductors, wages are being advanced and every effort made to increase the working forces before the heavy rush of fall freight business causes a complete blockade.

The Dunn Courtmartial.

Mare Island, Cal., Aug. 21.—The defense in the trial of Lieut. Dunn this morning confined their examination of witnesses solely to the effort to prove that the accused was mentally irresponsible. For this purpose the best witness was Chief Yeoman Richmond of the Independence, who was attached to the office of the executive of the vessel and who testified that among the men of the Independence Dunn was frequently spoken of as being "dotty," an expression which the witness explained was equivalent to "bugs." Witness said he had never heard the term used in connection with a man under the influence of liquor, and it was used by the men of the Independence to express Dunn's peculiar mental condition.

Girl Given $21,000 Damages.

Union City, Tenn., Aug. 21.—It took the jury in the Walker-Edwards breach-or-promise case just three hours to decide to award $21,000 damages to Lola Walker, the former Chicago choir singer, who sued Col. Dick Edwards, a millionaire of Asheville. N. C.

Miss Walker charged that Colonel Edwards had broken his promise to marry her. He retaliated by assailing her good name. She then brought suit just as much, she said, to clear her reputation as to obtain damages. She named $50,000 as the sum she wanted.

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ASK BIDS FOR COOLIES

ISTHMIAN COMMISSION ISSUES SPECIFICATIONS TO CONTROL GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Specifications for bids to furnish Chinese labor for the construction of the Panama canal were issued yesterday by the Isthmian Canal Commission. The basis for bidding is for 2,500 coolies, although it is made clear that the commission may call for such additional numbers of Chinese laborers as it may need, should the experiment be successful, but the number shall not exceed 2,000 per month. All proposals must be received not later than 10 a. m. September 20th, at which time they will be opened.

The proposals must be accompanied by a certified check or bond for $50,000. The bond of the successful bidder will be advanced to $100,000, which will be forfeited should he fail to enter into a contract. Proposals are to be expressed in terms of hourly wages, payable in gold currency of the United States, or its equivalent, for the labor of not less than 2,500 Chinese for a period of not less than two years, which may be extended. Chinese laborers will be required to work ten hours each day. Overtime will be paid in excess of ten hours and for all the work upon Sundays or holidays at the rate of time and a half. The holidays recognized will be January 1, February 22, July 4, November 3, Thanksgiving Day, December 25 and the first and last days of the Chinese New Year.

Extra precaution has been taken by the commission in its specifications to provide against liability for damages or indemnity on account of the death or disability of any laborer or employe by accident or disease.

Laborers coming under this contract will be provided, free of charge, with lodgings, fuel for cooking purposes, and medical treatment when sick. No wages shall be paid to any laborer, however, during illness or absence from work, either in quarters or in hospital..

No laborers will be accepted who have been brought from any part of the Hawaiian Islands.

The contractor is required to give security to the Republic of Panama that Chinese laborers and families shall be promptly deported upon the completion of their terms of service.

WOMAN FIGHTS FOR HER LIFE.

Mrs. E. H. Sanderson Killed With Razor in Hands of Husband.

Los Angeles, Aug. 17.—E. H. Sanderson, president of the California Truck Company, killed his wife, daughter of the late Senator L. J. Rose, with a razor yesterday in their palatial residence at 1336 West Lake avenue and then committed suicide with the same weapon. Sanderson, who had lived in Los Angeles for 27 years and was a prominent business man, has been suffering mentally for several months, and it is believed by friends of the family that the murder and suicide were committed in a fit of temporary insanity.

Olivia Carson, the servant, found the body of Mrs. Sanderson lying in the sun-room in the rear of the house when she returned home at 5:15 o'clock. She ran upstairs and found Sanderson lying dead by a leather couch in his own room with the gas jet open. Rowe Sanderson, the only son of the family, was summoned from his father's office, where he had taken charge of the business since his parent's illness.

There is no one living that was in the house when the struggle for life was made by Mrs. Sanderson, who is believed to have been attacked by her husband while sitting in her own room upstairs. She is supposed to have leaped from the second story balcony to the ground in a desperate attempt to escape from her crazed pursuer.

Apparently satisfied with the work that he had done, Sanderson returned to his own room. He locked the door, opened wide the gas jet and repeated the wound in his own neck that had ended the life of his wife.

INTERPRETERS WANTED.

Places in Orient Await Six Students Under the New Law.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Examinations will be held at the State Department October 1st to select six student interpreters to serve in the American consular service in Japan and one interpreter for the service in China. The diplomatic and consular act passed by the last Congress provides for sixteen student interpreters in the Far East, and there are seven vacancies.

Commissions Await Enlisted Men.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Secretary Taft has decided that enlisted men shall have the first chance at the 48 vacancies in the grade of Second Lieutenant.

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A REVOLUTION IS STARTED IN CUBA

FIRST BATTLE FOUGHT; ONE OFFICER KILLED AND MANY ARE WOUNDED..

Rebels Outnumber the Government Troops at Opening of Conflict—President Fears Assassination

Havana, Aug. 21.—The Cuban revolution is now an actual fact, acknowledged, however, reluctantly by the Cuban Government.

The situation is serious, owing to the fact that all of those participating were famous in the late war for military prowess.

The first important formal battle occurred yesterday near Hoyo Colorado, wherein Lieutenant Rourke and a private of the rural guard was killed and several others wounded. Eight rurals were captured.

The combat occurred with insurgents commanded by General Quentin Bandero. General Emilio Nunez, Governor of the Province of Havana, led the Government forces. He returned to Havana last night, and when asked if there were casualties, he answered:

"Yes, wounded and everything else."

Upon his return he was closeted a long time with President Palma.

Havana, Aug. 21.—All rail and telegraph communication between here and Pimar del Rio was cut this afternoon. Later communication was restored. Rebel Commander Pino Guerrera is advancing to take that city with 800 men, who are marching in three columns. There are only 300 rurals defending the city. The rebel movement in Pinar del Rio is widespread, some estimates placing the number of rebels there at 2,000.

Havana, Aug. 21.—Following the arrest yesterday of several prominent men in connection with an alleged conspiracy to assassinate President Palma and overturn the Government, Speaker Freyre had a consultation with President Palma last night and decided to summon an extraordinary session of the House to discuss the uprising. The dispatch adds:

"Numerous bands are joining Pino Guerrerra.

"A suspicious looking schooner is off Pinar del Rio.

"All the coast roads from Havana are closely guarded. Many motorists who attempted to leave the city yesterday were turned back.

"The rebels have seized the mails of the steamship Consolation.

"The Government has established a censorship over the press dispatches and all telegrams are delayed. The officials maintain silence as to the situation."

Forest Fires in Tuoloumne County.

Sonora, Cal., Aug. 18.—One of the worst forest fires in the history of Tuolumne County is raging on what is known as the Grand Ridge, and in the vicinity of the Stanilaus river. The fire was started as the result of an attempt to burn a right of way through a strip of country extending from the power plant to Big Bend.

There are a number of valuable mining interests and ranches in the vicinity of the fire. All of the cattlemen will be big losers, as the fall feed will all be destroyed.

One hundred and fifty men are fighting the fire, but the number is insufficient to get the fire under control. As these men are working day and night, they are nearly exhausted, and the outlook is bad.

Teachers of Red Men Meet.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 21.—Teachers from the various Indian agencies of the west arrived in the city today to attend the eighth annual Pacific Coast Indian Teachers' Institute, which opened here today for a week's session. There are between 800 and 1,000 delegrates present.

The opening address before the convention was delivered by Governor Albert E. Mead.

Ecuador Has New Tariff.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Ecuador has proclaimed a new tariff schedule which has just reached the State Department and will become effective November 1. The schedules provide for a complete re-classification and make reductions on some classes of goods sent from the United States to Ecuador, but make no marked alterations in the chief exports from this country to Ecuador.

Elmira Depot Burned.

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